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SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action of January 25, 2006, kindly amend the above-captioned application without prejudice as follows:

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application is a Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.

Applicants respectfully request a **three-month** extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed January 25, 2006 for which a three-month response period, expiring on April 25, 2006, was set. The three-month extended period for response expires on July 25, 2006. Please charge the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) **three-month extension fee of** \$1,020.00, and any additional fees that may be required, to **Deposit Account No. 11-0600**.

No fee is believed to be required. However, if any fee is required, please use Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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